# Determination of Public Land (Rangeland) Health for 65032 DAVIS

The Record of Decision (ROD) for the New Mexico Standards for Public Land Health and Guidelines for Livestock Grazing Management (dated January 2001) adopted three Standards for Public Land Health. These are (1) Upland Sites Standard, (2) Biotic Communities, Including Native, Threatened, Endangered, and Special Status Species Standard and (3) Riparian Sites Standard.

The ROD also established a process for the BLM Field Offices for the implementation. Through a public participation process, the Roswell Field Office developed and adopted indicators to use in conjunction with existing monitoring data to assess these standards.

Field assessment worksheets and other available data that evaluate the local indicators were completed for this allotment. While habitat parameters may meet the Biotic standard, the habitat requirements for Special Status Species (lesser prairie chicken and sanddune lizard) habitat are a concern. Factors such as oil and gas activities and the associated infra-structure, the mesquite encroachment in some areas and the low composition of the tall grass species required for nesting success must continue to be addressed to improve the existing habitat and prevent lost of habitat from fragmentation.

Based on the assessments, it is my determination that the public land within the Davis allotment #65032 meets the Upland Sites standard and (2) Biotic Communities, including Native, Threatened, Endangered, and Special Status Species standard. There are no public land Riparian areas on this allotment, therefore this standard was not addressed.

/s/ T. R. Kreager Assistant Field Manager 09/28/2005 Date

## Standards of Public Land Health Evaluation of 65032 DAVIS Allotment [ 04/04/2005 ]

The Roswell Field Office conducted rangeland health assessments at four (4) study sites within the Davis allotment 65032. The assessments looked at the Soil/Site Stability, Hydrologic Function and Biotic Integrity indicators within the vicinity of each study site. Existing monitoring data was incorporated into and in support of the field assessment. The summary of each assessment is attached and shown in the following table.

Study Area		UPLAND			BIOTIC		В	RIPARIAN		
or Assessment Area	Meets	Monitor an Indicator	Does Not Meet	Meets	Monitor an Indicator	Does Not Meet	Meets	Monitor an Indicator	Does Not Meet	
65032- BELCHER- D004	X			X	*		N/A			
65032-N. SAMPSON- D005	X			X	*		N/A			
65032-POLK- D003	X			X	*		N/A			
65032-S. SAMPSON- D006	X			X	*		N/A			

Twenty-two (22) indicators for Rangeland Health were evaluated for public land on Davis allotment #65032. Ten (10) of these assessed soil site stability, 11 hydrologic function and 13 biotic integrity. These qualitative assessments in conjunction with previous data collected on four study locations within this allotment were utilized to make rangeland health determinations. Quantitative evaluations are performed by the Roswell Field Office, which include some or all of the following: ground and vegetative cover and composition, production, frequency and ecological condition. These collections which were initiated in the late 1970's/early 1980's, are scheduled and conducted approximately every 5 years.

Each study site is located in a different pasture within the allotment. No livestock were observed at the time of assessment as the permitee has withdrawn from all public land within this grazing allotment. Three pastures are CP-3 Deep Sand ecological sites; Belcher, North Sampson and South Sampson respectively. Each is a (RPD) Roswell-Jalmar soil phase consisting of fine sands on high terraces occurring in the eastern part of the survey area. Slopes are 0 to 2 percent with an elevation between 3,900 ft/1,182 m and 4,100 ft/1,242 m. Belcher pasture, encompassing 1,983 acres or approximately 803

hectares rated a majority of indicators None to Slight and Slight to Moderate. The vegetation consists of grasses such as little bluestem (Schizachyrium scoparium), sand bluestem (Andropogon hallii), dropseed (Sporobolus spp.), gramas (Bouteloua spp.), shrubs, shinnery oak (Quercus havardii) and yucca (Yucca spp.). The three indicators rating Moderate are litter movement, annual production and invasive plants. Litter, mainly shinnery leaves and some grass is piling up against obstructions and collecting in depressional areas. Long-term average for production is 975 lbs/ac or kg/ha. A current estimation of 900 lbs/ac or kg/ha is approximately 50-60 percent of potential, although shinnery oak comprises most of the production for shrubs. Yucca is observed scattered throughout and poses no encroachment threat at present. A weak physical crust is acting to hold soil in place. All other indicators show minor departures and fall within normal ranges of variability. Pronghorn were observed at the time of assessment.

North Sampson pasture also rates a majority of indicators in None to Slight and Slight to Moderate. Indicators showing departures and rating Moderate were pedestals and/or terracettes, litter movement, soil surface resistance to erosion, annual production and physical crusts. The bluestem grasses exhibited obvious pedestal formations on clumps especially in flow paths where erosional processes may be more common. No terracettes were observed however. Along with this is litter displacement and gathering against obstructions and in depressional areas, most notably shinnery oak leaves. The interspace soil sample readily melts using the soil site stability test. Under canopy soil held together longer which suggests higher concentrations of organic matter. Annual production is currently estimated at 900 lbs/ac or kg/ha. so is long-term average of 919 lbs/ac or kg/ha. This is approximately 60% of potential. A very weak physical crust exists but is very sporadic.

South Sampson pasture, with 2,595 acres/1,051 hectares rates the majority of indicators None to Slight and Slight to Moderate, indicating normal ranges of variability for most attributes. Bluestem species, little and sand both make up most of the vegetative composition. In lesser amounts are hairy grama (Bouteloua hirsuta), dropseeds and threeawn (Aristida spp.). Also comprising the shrub component are shinnery oak in pockets and yucca in some areas. Soil surface resistance to erosion rates Moderate. Interspace soil samples melted quite rapidly while canopy samples were slightly slower in erosional instability. Most of the smaller areas of past wind-scoured and blowout activities have re-vegetated. The weak physical crusting and sandy nature of the soil have contributed to instability of interspace ped samples. Some mesquite and yucca were observed less than scattered.

Polk pasture with an area of 298 acres/121 hectares is the solitary Sandy Plains CP-2 ecological site, with a (FaA) Faskin soil phase. This soil occurs on high terraces in the eastern part of the survey area. The elevation is 3,800 ft/1,152 m to 4,200 ft/1,273 m on 0 to 2 percent slopes. All indicators rated None to Slight and Slight to Moderate except for invasive plants. Mesquite and yucca are scattered throughout and rates invasive plants Moderate. The shrubs do not effect production however as a current estimate of 1,000 to 1,100 lbs/ac or kg/ha matches the long-term average and deviates only slightly. Sideoats grama (Bouteloua curtipendula) and hairy grama can also be found in generous amounts.

Sand sage (Artemesia filifolia) and shinnery oak add to the shrub component. Pronghorn were also observed which indicates an adequate forb crop due to winter moisture this year. All other indicators fall within normal range of variability.

#### Hydrology

Belcher - The litter movement indicator rated moderate. The decrease in litter movement suggests that dry weather has a negative affect on growing conditions reducing it's amounts and mobility.

All other indicators rated none to slight and slight to moderate indicating a healthy ecological condition. Silt, sand and gravel of Quaternary eolian and piedmont deposits outcrop here.

Sampson - The pedestals and/or terracette indicator rated as moderate. The recent dry conditions in combination with wind and water erosion has possibly decreased amounts of plant cover and soil infiltration which may have increased pedestaling on plants and rocks.

The litter movement indicator rated moderate. The decrease in litter movement suggests that a lack of precipitation has negatively affected growing conditions reducing litter production and movement.

Soil surface resistance to erosion rated moderate. The soil site stability test indicates melting of interspace soil ped samples. The physical/biological crust indicator rated moderate. There was a lack of a physical soil crust in the area.

All other indicators rated none to slight and slight to moderate indicating a healthy ecological condition. Silt, sand and gravel of Quaternary eolian and piedmont deposits outcrop here.

Polk - The rills, water flow patterns, pedestals and/or terracettes, bareground, gullies, wind-scoured blowouts, and/or deposition areas, litter movement, soil surface resistance to erosion, soil surface loss or degradation, plant community composition and distribution relative to infiltration and runoff, compaction layer, litter amount and physical/chemical/biological crusts indicators rated none to slight and slight to moderate. Sand and gravel deposits of Quaternary alluvial outcrop the area.

Sampson - Soil surface resistance to erosion rated moderate, with soil stability tests showing interspace melting. The physical/biological crust indicator rated moderate. There was a lack of physical soil crust in the area.

All other indicators rated none to slight and slight to moderate indicating a healthy ecological condition. Silt, sand and gravel of Quaternary eolian and piedmont deposits outcrop in the area. Wildlife -

Evaluation of the integrity of biotic community considered several indicators as attribute indices for the area of interest. Biotic indicators are interrelated with several other indicators, including soil/site stability, hydrologic function, and vegetation. Several indicators are singularly biotic and address the vegetative aspect of the ecological site description, such as functional/structural groups and plant mortality & decadence.

In addition to the standard worksheet biotic factors, four specific wildlife indicators and descriptors are included in this evaluation. A unique assemblage of terrestrial species and avifauna can be expected to use the Mescalero Sands ecosystem. Of significance are the lesser prairie chicken and sand dune lizard known only to occur within this ecosystem. The vegetation community of interest is the shinnery oak-tall grass type only found in this portion of the Field Office area.

Key habitat components include sand bluestem, shinnery oak, sand dune lizard habitat features (dune blowouts), and lesser prairie chicken habitat features (booming grounds & nesting areas). The amount, condition and juxtaposition of these habitat features are used as habitat indicators for this assessment.

Key attributes/indicators related to LPC habitat are Functional/Structural Groups, Annual Production, and Invasive Plants. Key attribute/indicators related to SDL habitat are Bare Ground, Wind-Scoured Blowouts, Deposition Areas and Annual Production. SDL are generally associated with blowouts that are unstabilized, i.e., microhabitats affected by the physical attributes of dunes and vegetation.

Other important wildlife species and their habitats, such as desert mule deer, pronghorn, a variety of game and non-game species, are considered in the assessment but not the focus of the evaluation. The assessment begins by determining if the site is within "Core Areas" for lesser prairie chicken, or contains potential/occupied habitat for the sand dune lizard.

This allotment has three fairly large pastures with sizable blocks of public land and a smaller pasture of mostly private land. The two pastures located below the Caprock Escarpment are North and South Samson. These two pastures are in the Mescalero Sands ecosystem. The other two pastures are to the east on upper terraces of the Caprock. All three pastures provide important habitat for LPC. It should be noted that South Samson Pasture was chemically treated in 1986, followed by North Samson in 1991. The treatments were aimed to reduce the amount of shinnery oak and increase grass production for both livestock and wildlife. Oil and gas activity has not been active in recent years. Developments are slowly rehabilitating although access routes remain used by the general public. Habitat conditions have changed over the years ranging from dense tall grass following treatment, through a large wildfire which temporarily decreased standing grasses, to drought conditions, and back to favorable precipitation periods with increased vegetation production this year. For the past ten years, below average rainfall has occurred in the area. It has been only in the past year that precipitation has occurred at opportune times for vegetative growth and wildlife population maintenance. Correspondingly, the pastures have not been stocked (non-use) during extreme drought to maintain existing desirable vegetation. For the treated pastures, shinnery oak composition is recovering. Lek surveys results conducted over the years generally follow drought conditions. LPC counts in the past two years indicate an upward trend. Because of the biological significance of this area, past chemical treatments, oil and gas activities (past and potential), wildlife indicators are rated Moderate.

In the professional opinion of the Assessment Team, public land within Davis allotment #65032, meets Upland and Biotic standards. There are no Riparian areas present, therefore this standard was not assessed. See site notes and recommendations for additional information regarding the assessments within this allotment.

**Recommendations:** Further deferment of this allotment can only augment it's potential for recovery, improved health or condition and forage production. The lesser prairie chicken habitat can benefit largely from prudent monitoring and management. Continued monitoring and livestock management practices should be the protocol for this allotment. Possible future brush management may be instituted to curtail further shrub encroachment in those few areas where mesquite and sand sage are scattered.

RFOs	Upland	and Biotic Standa	rd Ass	essment Si	ummary	Workshe	eet
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County Soi	County Soil Survey NM644 CHAVES N		ORTH	Soil	Var/Taxad		
Soil N	Aap Unit	RPD		Soil Ta	xon Name	ROSWEI	LL
Textu	ıre Class	NM644 FS			Soil Phase	ROSWEI JALMAR	
Texture 1	Modifier	NM644 FINE SANDS,HILLY					
	Observed Avg Annual Precipitation			Grow	erved Avg ing Season ecipitation		
	Annual cipitation		13.06	NOAA Growing Season Precipitation			10.95
NOAA Avg	g Annual cipitation		14.14	NOAA Avg Growing Season Precipitation			11.76
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Part 2. Att	ributes a	nd Indicators					
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Attribute	Indicato	rs	Extrem	Moderate to Extreme	Moderate	Slight to Moderate	None to Slight
S H	Rills						X
Comments:						ı	
SH		low Patterns				X	
Comments:							
SH		s and/or Terracettes				X	
Comments:							
SH	Bare Gr	ound				X	

Comments:	Current estimate is 40%.					
SH	Gullies					X
Comments:						
S	Wind-scoured, Blowouts, and/or Deposition Areas				X	
Comments:	Infrequent and few; the far rea these are minimal.	ches of th	e site have	e some barr	en areas b	ut
Н	Litter Movement			X		
Comments:	The shinnery leaves and some places have settled in depression	-		displaced	and in son	ne
SHB	Soil Surface Resistance to Erosion				X	
Comments:	Interspace soil samples are hol	lding toge	ther.			
SHB	Soil Surface Loss or Degradation				X	
Comments:	Some horizon loss is evident, a towards the surface in some ar		bles and g	ravel have	migrated	
Н	Plant Community Composition and Distribution Relative to Infiltration and Runoff				X	
Comments:	Only minor effects.					
SHB	Compaction Layer					X
Comments:						
В	Functional/Structural Groups				X	
Comments:	Only minor deviations observe	ed.				
В	Plant Mortality/Decadence					X
Comments:						
НВ	Litter Amount				X	
Comments:	Litter estimated at 40%.					
В	Annual Production			X		
Comments:	Current estimate is 900 lbs/ac	or kg/ha,	which is 5	0-60 percer	nt of poten	tial.
В	Invasive Plants			X		
Comments:	Yucca is scattered.					
В	Reproductive Capability of Perennial Plants					X
Comments:						

S	Physical/Chemical/Biological Crusts				X	
Comments:	Physical crusting is observed.					
В	Wildlife Habitat				X	
Comments:	A flat shinnery oak/tall grass habove and on the eastern edge recovering from severe drough	of Mesca	•			
В	Wildlife Populations				X	
Comments:	No specific wildlife population concern, other than those iden mule deer, upland game specific Populations recovering as hab	tified beloes and a v	ow, are pro ariety of n	nghorn ant on-game w	telope, des vildlife spe	ert
В	Special Status Species Habitat				X	
	Within the LPC core area. The supports species unique to the	Mescaler	o Sands ec	osystem. I	Lek sites ar	e
Comments:	available within the pasture. T development. Documented lek Roads are fragmenting habitat be improved, specifically tall	sites do do . Nesting	occur on al habitat app	bandoned of bears to be	oil and gas a factor th	pads.
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Values from the table are summarized below. Space is provided for rationale of the determination. This space should most certainly be used when the determination by the ID team conflicts with the summarized values. Provide the sources of information that lead to the determination. X out the appropriate box for each attribute to denote final agreed upon determination by the ID team.

Attribute	Rationale	Does Not Meet	May Need More Info	Meets
Soil		0	0	10
Hydrologic		0	1	10
Biotic		0	2	11

Site Notes: This site is located just north of some deeper more sandier areas of the pasture. The bluestem component most notably the little bluestem is down somewhat, but not majorly. No livestock were observed at the time of assessment as the operator has pulled. Pronghorn were observed which suggests that the forb component may be favorable.

RFOs	Upland	and Biotic Standa	rd Ass	sessment Si	ummary	Workshe	eet
		SITE 65032-N	. SAM	PSON-D00	)5		
Legal L	and Desc	SENW 23 0080S 031 Meridian 23	10E		Acreage	3730	
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	Observers	NAVARRO/ARTHU	JN	Observ	ation Date	04/04/200	05
County So	il Survey	NM644 CHAVES N	ORTH	Soil	Var/Taxad		
Soil 1	Map Unit	RPD		Soil Ta	xon Name	ROSWEI	LL
Text	ure Class	NM644 FS			Soil Phase	ROSWEI JALMAR	
Texture	Modifier	NM644 FINE SANDS,HILLY					
	Observed Avg Annual Precipitation Observed Avg Growing Season Precipitation						
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Attribute	Indicato	rs	Extrem	Moderate to Extreme	Moderate	Slight to Moderate	None to Slight
S H	Rills						X
Comments							
SH	Water F	low Patterns				X	
Comments							
SH	Pedestal	s and/or Terracettes			X		
Comments	Pedestal	s on the bluestem spe	cies.				
SH	Bare Gre	ound				X	

Comments:	Current estimate is 40%.					
SH	Gullies					X
Comments:						
S	Wind-scoured, Blowouts, and/or Deposition Areas				X	
Comments:						
Н	Litter Movement			X		
Comments:	Shinnery leaves against obstru-	ctions an	d in depress	ions.		
SHB	Soil Surface Resistance to Erosion				X	
Comments:	Interspace sample readily melt	S.				
SHB	Soil Surface Loss or Degradation				X	
Comments:	Small rocks on surface.					
Н	Plant Community Composition and Distribution Relative to Infiltration and Runoff				X	
Comments:						
SHB	Compaction Layer					X
Comments:						
В	Functional/Structural Groups				X	
Comments:	Only minor reductions.					
В	Plant Mortality/Decadence					X
Comments:						
НВ	Litter Amount				X	
Comments:	Current estimate is 30%.					
В	Annual Production			X		
Comments:	Current estimate is 900 lbs/ac is the estimate.	or kg/ha.	50-60% of	potential a	nd of the	ESD
В	Invasive Plants				X	
Comments:	Yucca less than scattered.					
В	Reproductive Capability of Perennial Plants					X
Comments:						
S	Physical/Chemical/Biological Crusts				X	

В	Wildlife Habitat				X	
Comments:	This is a hummocky shinnery of treated in 1991 to reduce the arroduction to benefit both lives nesting habitat. Habitat conditions tall grass following treat temporarily decreased standing favorable precipitation periods year. Because of the mosaic of its diverse in this area.	mount of stock and ons have ment, throa grasses, with incr	shinnery a wildlife, p changed o ough a larg to drought eased veg	nd increase orimarily inver the year ge wildfire t condition etation pro	e grass mproving ars ranging which s, and bac duction th	LPC g from k to iis
В	Wildlife Populations				X	
Comments:	No specific wildlife population concern, other than those ident mule deer, upland game specie that can be found in the area.	ified belo	w, are pro	nghorn an	telope, des	sert
В	Special Status Species Habitat				X	
Comments:	Within the LPC core area. The supports species unique to the available within the pasture and natural sites. Habitat disturband slowly rehabilitating. Roads to more access to and through the that can be improved and main sand bluestem while allowing sthe chemical treatment.  The site is not within delineated unstabilized dune habitat (micr treatment for that reason.	Mescalerod include ces from of the pads area. Nestained, sphinnery of d SDL rai	o Sands ecabandoned blder oil and have fragrating habit ecifically bak to become	osystem. I d oil and g nd gas dev mented hab at appears tall grass s ome re-esta	Lek sites a as pads an elopments pitat and al to be a fact species such ablished from ay occur i	re ad s are llow ctor ch as com
В	Special Status Species Populations				X	
Comments:	LPC are known to occur in the over the years. North Samson of South Samson pasture. The act No specific SDL populations h	does not s ive leks in	upport a h	igh density ire exhibit	y of leks, u stable cou	ınlike
Part 3. Sun	nmary					
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Standard Attribute		Extreme	Moderate to Extreme	Moderate	Slight to Moderate	None to Slight
S	Soil	0	0	1	6	3
Н	Hydrologic	0	0	2	6	3
В	Biotic	0	0	1	9	3

B. Attribute Summary. In this table, the Extreme and Extreme to Moderate columns in the table above are merged for the *Does not Meet* column, Moderate becomes *May Need More Info*, and Slight to Moderate and None to Slight merge to form the *Meets* columns. Values from the table are summarized below. Space is provided for rationale of the determination. This space should most certainly be used when the determination by the ID team conflicts with the summarized values. Provide the sources of information that lead to the determination. X out the appropriate box for each attribute to denote final agreed upon determination by the ID team.

Attribute	Rationale	Does Not Meet	May Need More Info	Meets
Soil		0	1	9
Hydrologic		0	2	9
Biotic	Biotic indicators show moderate departure but remain sufficient. Continued evaluation to ensure the biotics remain at an acceptable level is recommended.  Special status species (LPC) habitat is a concern.	0	1	12

Site Notes: There are no livestock grazing this pasture as the operator has pulled all livestock from the public land on this allotment. There does appear to be evidence of past animal use as several little and sand bluestem grass plants have the hedged look. This site has more decadent clumps as it appears the grass has become rank in the center of the plant. However the majority of the grass plants are attempting to recover.

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		SITE 6503	2-POLK	K-D003				
Legal L	and Desc	SWSW 18 0080S 03 Meridian 23	320E		Acre	eage	298	
	Ecosite	070BY055NM SAN PLAINS CP-2	IDY		Photo Ta	ıken	Y	
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County So	oil Survey	NM644 CHAVES N	NORTH		Soil Var/Ta	ıxad		
Soil	Map Unit	FaA		So	il Taxon N	ame	FASI	KIN
Text	ure Class	NM644 LFS			Soil Pl	nase	FAS	KIN
Texture	Modifier	NM644 FINE SANI	D					
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NOAA Annual Precipitation			13.06	NOAA G	Frowing Sea Precipita			10.95
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Attribute	Indicators	S	Extreme	Moderate to Extreme	Moderate		ht to lerate	None to Sligh
S H	Rills							X
Comments:								
SH	Water Flo	ow Patterns				2	X	
Comments:			·					
SH	Pedestals	and/or Terracettes				2	X	
Comments:	Pedestals	on some little bluest	em.					
S H	Bare Gro	und				2	X	
Comments:	Current e	stimate is 30%.						
S H	Gullies							X

Comments:	:		
S	Wind-scoured, Blowouts, and/or Deposition Areas		X
Comments:	:	·	
Н	Litter Movement	X	
Comments:	: Some displacement.	·	
SHB	Soil Surface Resistance to Erosion	X	
Comments:	:		
SHB	Soil Surface Loss or Degradation	X	
Comments:	:		
Н	Plant Community Composition and Distribution Relative to Infiltration and Runoff	X	
Comments:	:		
SHB	Compaction Layer		X
Comments:	:		
В	Functional/Structural Groups	X	
Comments:	: Only minor deviations.		
В	Plant Mortality/Decadence		X
Comments:	:		
НВ	Litter Amount	X	
Comments:	: Current estimate is 40%.		
В	Annual Production	X	
Comments:	: 1000 lbs/ac or kg/ha is the current estimate.		
В	Invasive Plants X		
Comments:	: Mesquite and yucca is scattered.		
В	Reproductive Capability of Perennial Plants		X
Comments:	:		
S	Physical/Chemical/Biological Crusts	X	
Comments:	: Physical crusts are holding the soil in place.		
В	Wildlife Habitat	X	
Comments:	: A flat shinnery oak/tall grass habitat type on sandy soils	. A transitio	n area

	above and on the eastern edge recovering from severe drough	nt.				
В	Wildlife Populations				X	
Comments:	No specific wildlife populatio concern are pronghorn antelor variety of non-game wildlife s recovers from severe drought.	e, desert	mule deer,	upland gar	me species	and a
В	Special Status Species Habitat				X	
Comments:	Within the LPC core area. No sites are available within the pand gas development.					
В	No habitat for SDL.  Special Status Species Populations				X	
Comments:	None known to occur.					
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		Meet	Need More Info	
Soil		0	0	10
Hydrologic		0	0	11
Biotic	Biotic indicators show moderate departure but remain sufficient. Continued evaluation to ensure the biotics remain at an acceptable level is recommended.  Special status species (LPC) habitat is a concern.	0	1	12

Site Notes: No livestock are in this pasture as well as the allotment. Pronghorn observed which suggests a good forb component. Forbs were observed on site. Sand sage is more abundant here along with sideoats grama.

RFOs	Upland	and Biotic Standa	rd Ass	essment Su	ımmary `	Workshe	eet
		SITE 65032-S	. SAMI	PSON-D00	)6		
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Soil N	Map Unit	RPD		Soil Ta	xon Name	ROSWEI	LL
Text	ure Class	NM644 FS			Soil Phase	ROSWEI JALMAR	
Texture	Modifier	NM644 FINE SANDS,HILLY					
Observed Avg Annual Precipitation				Grow	erved Avg ing Season ecipitation		
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Part 2. Att	ributes a	nd Indicators					
				ure from Eco otion/Ecolog			
Attribute	Indicato	rs	Extrem	Moderate to Extreme	Moderate	Slight to Moderate	None to Sligh
S H	Rills						X
Comments:							
SH	Water F	low Patterns				X	
Comments:							
S H	Pedestal	s and/or Terracettes				X	
Comments:					· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·		
S H	Bare Gr	ound				X	

Comments:	Current estimate is 30%.					
SH	Gullies					X
Comments:				· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·		
S	Wind-scoured, Blowouts, and/or Deposition Areas				X	
Comments:	Past wind-scoured areas are in	the proce	ss of veget	ating over.		
Н	Litter Movement				X	
Comments:						
SHB	Soil Surface Resistance to Erosion			X		
Comments:	Interspace sample of soil melts	readily.				
SHB	Soil Surface Loss or Degradation				X	
Comments:						
Н	Plant Community Composition and Distribution Relative to Infiltration and Runoff				X	
Comments:						
SHB	Compaction Layer					X
Comments:						
В	Functional/Structural Groups				X	
Comments:						
В	Plant Mortality/Decadence					X
Comments:						
НВ	Litter Amount				X	
Comments:	Estimtes are approximately 30	%.				
В	Annual Production				X	
Comments:	900-1000 lbs/ac or kg/ha is the	estimate.				
В	Invasive Plants				X	
Comments:	Mesquite and yucca is less than	n scattered	d.			
В	Reproductive Capability of Perennial Plants					X
Comments:						
S	Physical/Chemical/Biological Crusts			X		
Comments:	A very weak physical crust exi	ists and is	not fairly	uniform.		

В	Wildlife Habitat			X						
Comments:	This is a hummocky shinnery oak/tall grass habitat type that was chemically treated in 1986 to reduce the amount of shinnery and increase grass production to benefit both livestock and wildlife, primarily improving LPC nesting habitat. Habitat conditions have changed over the years ranging from dense tall grass following treatment, through a large wildfire which temporarily decreased standing grasses, to drought conditions, and back to favorable precipitation periods with increased vegetation production this year. Because of the mosaic of treated and non-treated areas, wildlife habitat is diverse in this area.									
В	Wildlife Populations			X						
Comments:	No specific wildlife population concern, other than those identification mule deer, upland game specific that are found in the area.	tified below, are pro	onghorn an	telope, des	ert					
В	Special Status Species Habitat			X						
Comments:	Within the LPC core area. The shinnery oak/tall grass vegetation community supports species unique to the Mescalero Sands ecosystem. Lek sites are available within the pasture and include abandoned oil and gas pads and natural sites. Habitat disturbances from older oil and gas developments are slowly rehabilitating. Roads to the pads have fragmented habitat and allow more access to and through the area. Nesting habitat appears to be a factor that can be improved and maintained, specifically tall grass species such as sand bluestem while allowing shinnery oak to become re-established from the chemical treatment.  The site is not within delineated SDL range although SDL may occur in unstabilized dune habitat (microhabitats) that were left out from chemical treatment for that reason.									
В	Special Status Species Populations			X						
Comments:	LPC are known to occur in the area. Several lek sites have been documented over the years. South Samson supports a high density of leks, unlike North Samson pasture. The active leks in the pasture exhibit a stable to slightly upward count this year. No specific SDL populations have been documented to date.									
Part 3. Sun	ımary									
attributes be	Summary - Each of the indication. An indicator is placed in a Standard Attributes.									

Standard Attribute		Extreme	Moderate to Extreme	Moderate	Slight to Moderate	None to Slight
S	Soil	0	0	2	5	3
H	Hydrologic	0	0	1	7	3
В	Biotic	0	0	1	9	3

B. Attribute Summary. In this table, the Extreme and Extreme to Moderate columns in the table above are merged for the *Does not Meet* column, Moderate becomes *May Need More Info*, and Slight to Moderate and None to Slight merge to form the *Meets* columns. Values from the table are summarized below. Space is provided for rationale of the determination. This space should most certainly be used when the determination by the ID team conflicts with the summarized values. Provide the sources of information that lead to the determination. X out the appropriate box for each attribute to denote final agreed upon determination by the ID team.

Attribute	Rationale	Does Not Meet	May Need More Info	Meets
Soil		0	2	8
Hydrologic		0	1	10
Biotic	Biotic indicators show moderate departure but remain sufficient. Continued evaluation to ensure the biotics remain at an acceptable level is recommended.  Special status species (LPC) habitat is a concern.	0	1	12

Site Notes: No livestock were observed as the operator has taken his animals off the public land within this allotment. Little bluestem is quite abundant along with sand bluestem. Shinnery oak can be found in pockets. Production is mainly the bluestem component with dropseed in lesser am

## **Functional / Structural Groups**

#### Report Parameters

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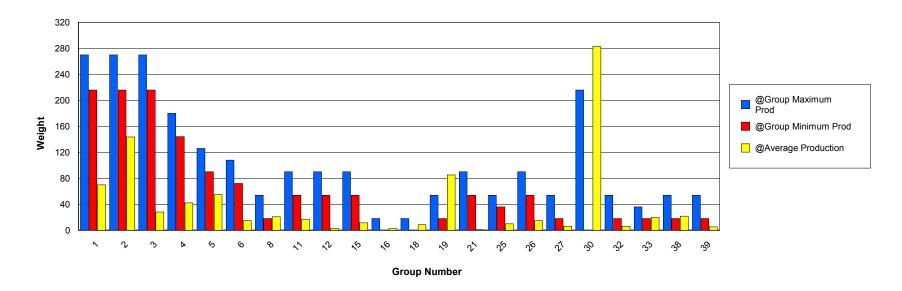
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MIN LBS TO GRAPH 1

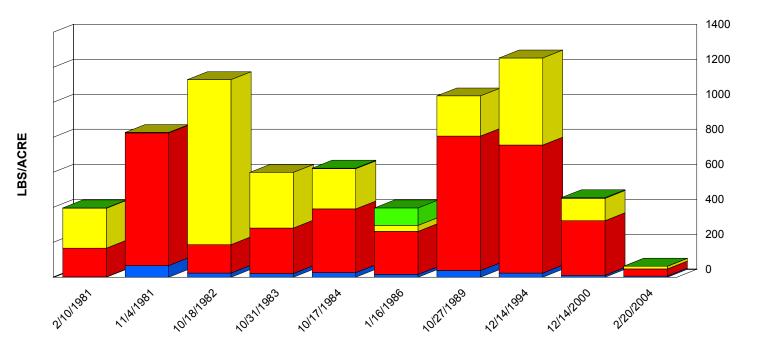
SELECTED ECOSITE 070BY063NM

Group	Plant Type	Species	Low Wt Allowed	High Wt Allowed	Minimum	Maximum	Average	STDEV
1	Grass	ANHA	216	270	5.33	164.00	69.93	53.01
2	Grass	ANSC2	216	270	0.00	538.00	143.66	170.13
3	Grass	SPCR	216	270	3.80	27.00	12.47	7.71
3	Grass	SPFL2	216	270	10.00	21.00	15.50	5.50
4	Grass	BOHI2	144	180	0.00	131.00	41.99	40.12
5	Grass	ARIST	90	126	0.00	128.00	46.90	35.94
5	Grass	ARLO3	90	126	0.00	16.00	8.00	8.00
6	Grass	PAST6	72	108	0.00	53.00	14.88	17.36
8	Grass	LECO	18	54	0.63	46.00	13.63	14.41
8	Grass	PAHA	18	54	0.00	14.00	7.00	7.00
11	Grass	BOCU	54	90	2.00	41.00	16.97	14.02
12	Grass	BOER4	54	90	2.00	5.00	2.85	1.14
15	Grass	EROX	54	90	1.29	34.00	11.47	10.61
16	Grass	ERSE2	0	18	2.00	3.00	2.50	0.50
18	Grass	CAREX	0	18	2.00	21.00	8.67	8.73
19	Grass	AGSM	18	54	0.00	15.00	7.50	7.50
19	Grass	ANGE	18	54	0.00	71.00	35.50	35.50
19	Grass	BOGR2	18	54	0.00	60.00	30.00	30.00
19	Grass	LYPH	18	54	7.00	16.00	11.50	4.50
19	Grass	STCO4	18	54	0.00	1.00	0.50	0.50
21	Forb	ERIOG	54	90	1.00	1.00	1.00	0.00
25	Forb	AMBRO	36	54	1.00	15.00	8.00	7.00
25	Forb	AMPS	36	54	0.57	3.00	1.79	1.22
26	Forb	AAFF	54	90	0.00	38.00	14.90	12.91
27	Forb	CRJA2	18	54	3.33	9.00	6.17	2.84
27	Forb	HYSC	18	54	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00

Group	Plant Type	Species	Low Wt Allowed	High Wt Allowed	Minimum	Maximum	Average	STDEV
30	Shrub	QUHA3	0	216	15.18	934.00	282.80	263.72
32	Shrub	GUSA2	18	54	3.00	9.00	6.00	3.00
33	Shrub	YUGL	18	36	0.67	39.00	19.84	19.17
38	Tree	YUEL	18	54	0.00	100.00	21.80	39.12
39	Shrub	OPUNT	18	54	0.00	17.00	5.25	6.83



### **Production Lbs/Acre Trends**



Tree Shrub Grass Forb	

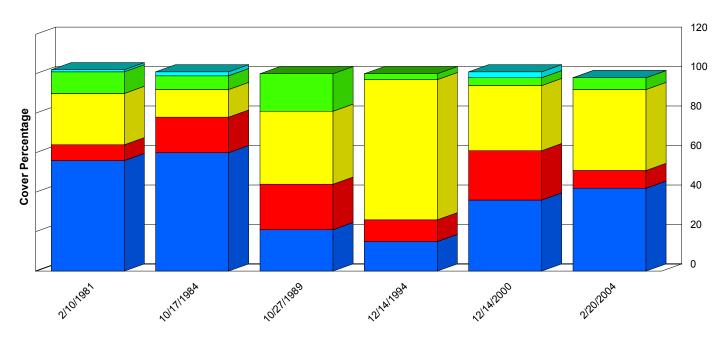
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Forb	2.00	67.00	24.00	21.00	26.00	16.00	38.00	24.00	11.00	6.49
Grass	164.00	758.00	162.00	260.00	364.00	246.00	768.00	731.00	312.00	40.57
Shrub	228.00	2.00	943.00	318.00	230.00	34.00	230.00	498.00	128.00	15.85
Tree	2.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	3.00	100.00	0.00	0.00	4.00	0.00
Total	396.00	827.00	1,129.00	599.00	623.00	396.00	1,036.00	1,253.00	455.00	62.91

#### **Report Parameters**

SITE NAME LIKE 65032-BELCHER-D004

ON/AFTER 10/01/1980 ON/BEFORE 09/30/2004

## **Ground Cover Trends**



Tree
Shrub
LITTER
Grass
BGROUND

	2/10/1981	10/17/1984	10/27/1989	12/14/1994	12/14/2000	2/20/2004
BGROUND	56.00	60.00	21.00	15.00	36.00	42.00
Grass	8.00	18.00	23.00	11.00	25.00	9.00
LITTER	26.00	14.00	37.00	71.00	33.00	41.00
Shrub	11.00	7.00	19.00	3.00	4.00	6.00
Tree	1.00	2.00	0.00	0.00	3.00	0.00
Total	102.00	101.00	100.00	100.00	101.00	98.00

### **Report Parameters**

SITE NAME LIKE 65032-BELCHER-D004

ON/AFTER 10/01/1980 ON/BEFORE 09/30/2004

## **Functional / Structural Groups**

#### Report Parameters

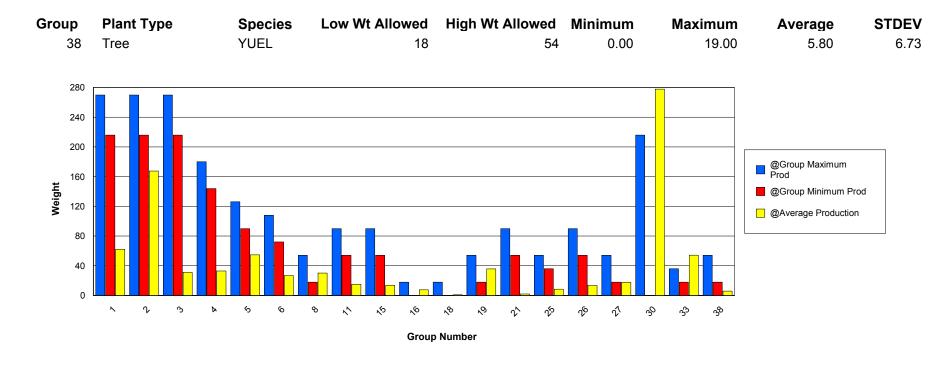
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ON/AFTER 10/01/1980 ON/BEFORE 09/30/2004

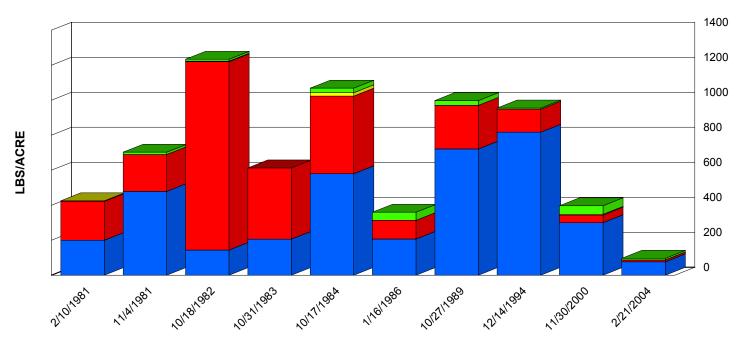
MIN LBS TO GRAPH 1

SELECTED ECOSITE 070BY063NM

Group	Plant Type	Species	Low Wt Allowed	High Wt Allowed	Minimum	Maximum	Average	STDEV
1	Grass	ANHA	216	270	0.00	167.00	62.13	56.34
2	Grass	ANSC2	216	270	9.24	518.00	167.52	166.34
3	Grass	SPCR	216	270	2.00	20.00	8.50	6.14
3	Grass	SPFL2	216	270	19.00	26.00	22.50	3.50
4	Grass	BOHI2	144	180	3.80	99.00	32.98	29.08
5	Grass	ARIST	90	126	0.00	95.00	35.70	33.54
5	Grass	ARLO3	90	126	0.00	38.00	19.00	19.00
6	Grass	PAST6	72	108	0.00	141.00	26.71	47.01
8	Grass	LECO	18	54	4.00	136.00	28.26	42.34
8	Grass	PAHA	18	54	0.00	4.00	2.00	2.00
11	Grass	BOCU	54	90	0.65	38.00	15.09	12.31
15	Grass	EROX	54	90	0.65	39.00	13.58	12.39
16	Grass	ERSE2	0	18	3.00	12.00	7.50	4.50
18	Grass	CAPR5	0	18	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
18	Grass	CAREX	0	18	0.00	3.00	1.00	1.22
19	Grass	AGSM	18	54	0.00	9.00	4.50	4.50
19	Grass	ANGE	18	54	0.00	72.00	27.67	31.67
19	Grass	MUAR	18	54	0.00	7.00	3.50	3.50
21	Forb	ERIOG	54	90	1.00	3.00	2.00	1.00
25	Forb	AMPS	36	54	1.15	15.00	8.38	5.67
26	Forb	AAFF	54	90	0.41	46.00	10.93	15.59
26	Forb	EUPHO	54	90	2.00	3.00	2.50	0.50
27	Forb	HYSC	18	54	0.00	31.00	15.50	15.50
27	Forb	PPFF	18	54	0.57	4.00	2.29	1.72
30	Shrub	QUHA3	0	216	7.26	1,076.00	277.93	302.06
33	Shrub	YUGL	18	36	3.33	105.00	54.17	50.84



### **Production Lbs/Acre Trends**



Forb Tree Shrub Grass	

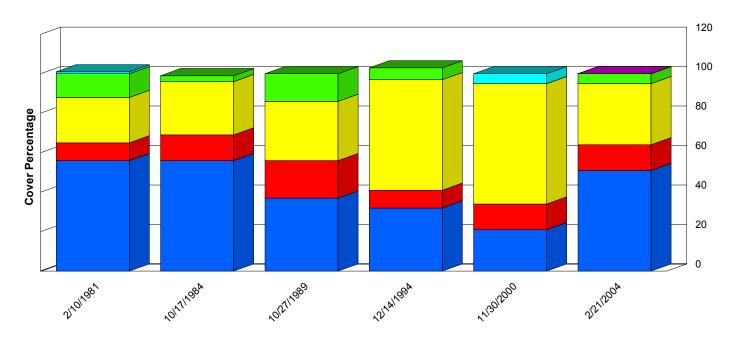
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Forb	0.00	13.00	11.00	0.00	26.00	46.00	27.00	6.00	49.00	9.22
Grass	200.00	479.00	144.00	206.00	580.00	207.00	722.00	817.00	300.00	77.02
Shrub	222.00	211.00	1,076.00	407.00	444.00	107.00	249.00	132.00	44.00	10.59
Tree	3.00	0.00	3.00	0.00	19.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	4.00	0.00
Total	425.00	703.00	1,234.00	613.00	1,069.00	360.00	998.00	955.00	397.00	96.83

#### **Report Parameters**

SITE NAME LIKE 65032-N. SAMPSON-D005

ON/AFTER 10/01/1980 ON/BEFORE 09/30/2004

## **Ground Cover Trends**



Forb Tree Shrub LITTER Grass BGROUND
BGROUND

	2/10/1981	10/17/1984	10/27/1989	12/14/1994	11/30/2000	2/21/2004	
BGROUND	56.00	56.00	37.00	32.00	21.00	51.00	
Forb	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	
Grass	9.00	13.00	19.00	9.00	13.00	13.00	
LITTER	23.00	27.00	30.00	56.00	61.00	31.00	
Shrub	12.00	3.00	14.00	6.00	0.00	5.00	
Tree	1.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	5.00	0.00	
Total	101.00	99.00	100.00	103.00	100.00	100.00	

### **Report Parameters**

SITE NAME LIKE 65032-N. SAMPSON-D005

ON/AFTER 10/01/1980 ON/BEFORE 09/30/2004

## **Functional / Structural Groups**

#### Report Parameters

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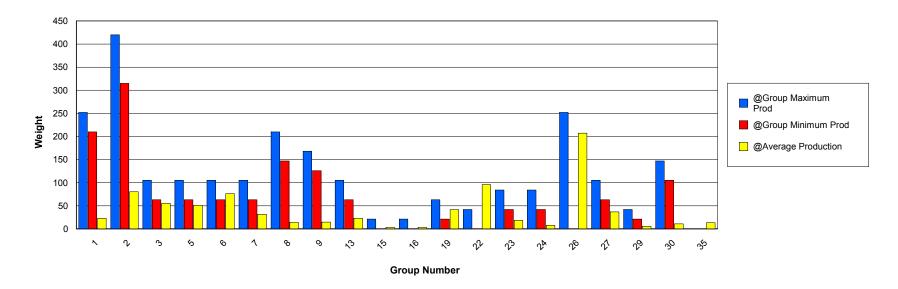
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MIN LBS TO GRAPH 1

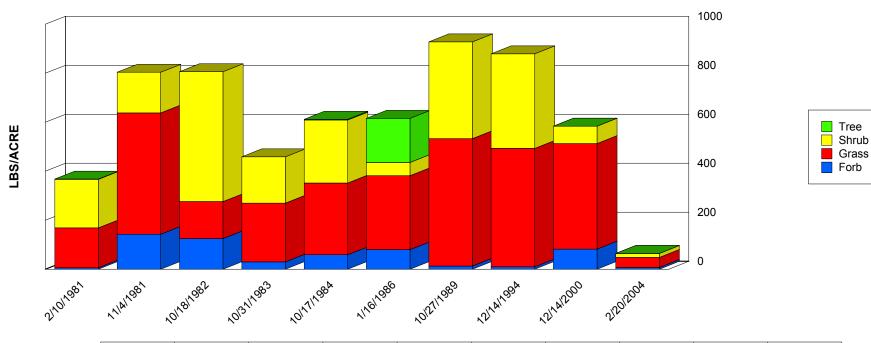
SELECTED ECOSITE 070BY055NM

Group	Plant Type	Species	Low Wt Allowed	High Wt Allowed	Minimum	Maximum	<b>Average</b>	STDEV
1	Grass	ANHA	210	252	6.00	48.00	22.93	14.60
2	Grass	ANGE	315	420	0.00	42.00	21.00	21.00
2	Grass	ANSC2	315	420	0.00	290.00	59.29	85.84
3	Grass	EROX	63	105	0.00	64.00	29.75	20.02
3	Grass	PAST6	63	105	0.00	65.00	25.71	20.73
5	Grass	BOHI2	63	105	2.00	151.00	50.79	45.80
6	Grass	ARIST	63	105	0.00	95.00	58.20	34.22
6	Grass	ARLO3	63	105	0.00	36.00	18.00	18.00
7	Grass	LECO	63	105	6.33	102.00	31.37	27.31
8	Grass	SPCR	147	210	0.00	29.00	13.89	10.68
9	Grass	STCO4	126	168	0.00	29.00	14.50	14.50
13	Grass	BOCU	63	105	0.65	53.00	22.77	13.17
15	Grass	CEPA7	0	21	0.00	8.00	3.33	3.43
16	Grass	CAREX	0	21	2.00	6.00	3.33	1.89
19	Grass	AGSM	21	63	0.00	17.00	8.50	8.50
19	Grass	BOGR2	21	63	0.00	16.00	8.00	8.00
19	Grass	ERSE2	21	63	2.00	9.00	5.50	3.50
19	Grass	PAHA	21	63	0.00	3.00	1.00	1.41
19	Grass	SPFL2	21	63	11.00	29.00	18.67	7.59
22	Forb	AMBRO	0	42	3.00	116.00	59.50	56.50
22	Forb	AMPS	0	42	0.00	63.00	36.33	26.61
23	Forb	AAFF	42	84	0.41	80.00	18.34	22.84
24	Forb	CRJA2	42	84	0.33	14.00	7.17	6.84
24	Forb	HASP2	42	84	0.00	1.00	0.50	0.50
26	Shrub	QUHA3	0	252	13.86	524.00	207.29	161.61
27	Tree	YUEL	63	105	0.00	180.00	36.80	71.61

Group	Plant Type	Species	Low Wt Allowed	High Wt Allowed	Minimum	Maximum	Average	STDEV
29	Shrub	GUSA2	21	42	0.47	11.00	5.74	5.27
30	Shrub	ARFI2	105	147	0.00	30.00	10.67	8.74
35	Shrub	PRGL2	0	0	0.67	36.00	13.13	13.11



### **Production Lbs/Acre Trends**



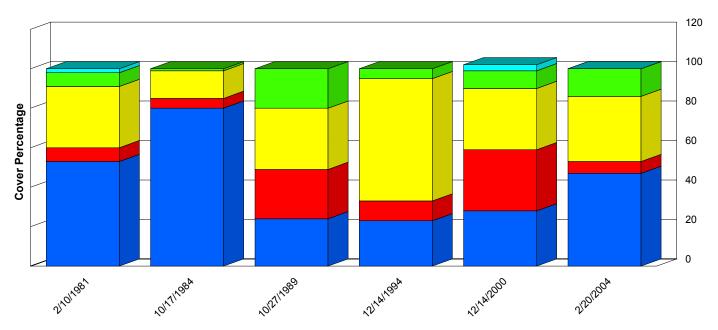
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Forb	6.00	143.00	125.00	30.00	59.00	80.00	13.00	10.00	82.00	7.21
Grass	163.00	495.00	151.00	240.00	293.00	302.00	520.00	483.00	431.00	41.20
Shrub	198.00	166.00	530.00	189.00	257.00	54.00	395.00	386.00	71.00	16.33
Tree	1.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	3.00	180.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Total	368.00	804.00	806.00	459.00	612.00	616.00	928.00	879.00	584.00	64.74

#### **Report Parameters**

SITE NAME LIKE 65032-POLK-D003

ON/AFTER 10/01/1980 ON/BEFORE 09/30/2004

## **Ground Cover Trends**



Tree
Shrub
LITTER
Grass
BGROUND

	2/10/1981	10/17/1984	10/27/1989	12/14/1994	12/14/2000	2/20/2004
BGROUND	53.00	80.00	24.00	23.00	28.00	47.00
Grass	7.00	5.00	25.00	10.00	31.00	6.00
LITTER	31.00	14.00	31.00	62.00	31.00	33.00
Shrub	7.00	1.00	20.00	5.00	9.00	14.00
Tree	2.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	3.00	0.00
Total	100.00	100.00	100.00	100.00	102.00	100.00

## **Report Parameters**

SITE NAME LIKE 65032-POLK-D003

ON/AFTER 10/01/1980 ON/BEFORE 09/30/2004

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## **Functional / Structural Groups**

### Report Parameters

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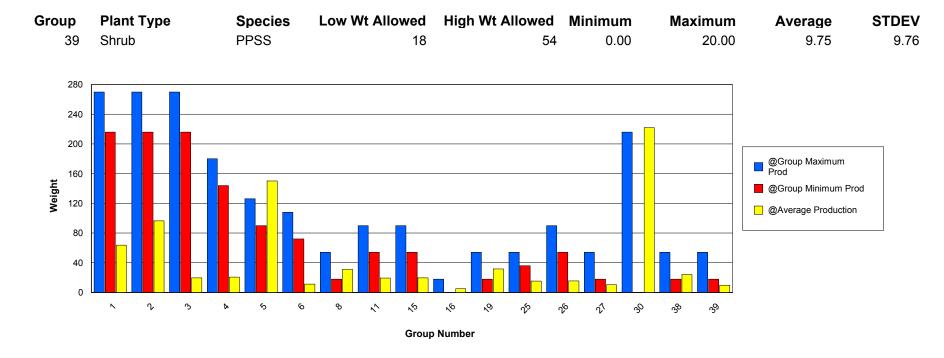
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MIN LBS TO GRAPH 5

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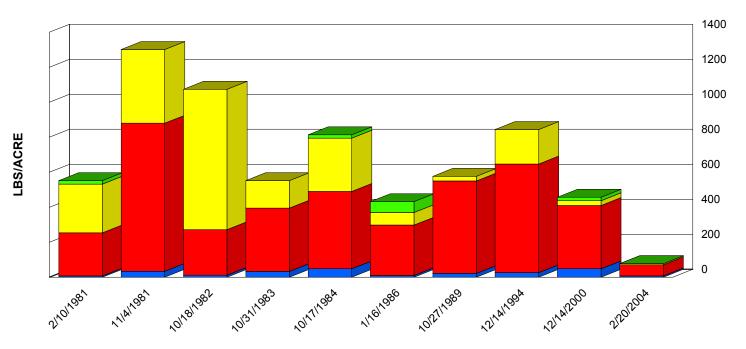
Group	Plant Type	Species	Low Wt Allowed	High Wt Allowed	Minimum	Maximum	Average	STDEV
1	Grass	ANHA	216	270	3.80	162.00	63.81	56.07
2	Grass	ANSC2	216	270	0.00	211.00	96.40	65.29
3	Grass	SPCR	216	270	0.00	22.00	11.20	6.92
3	Grass	SPFL2	216	270	0.00	27.20	8.36	11.17
4	Grass	BOHI2	144	180	1.33	55.15	20.77	15.06
5	Grass	ARIST	90	126	0.00	558.48	130.12	150.01
5	Grass	ARLO3	90	126	0.00	40.04	20.02	20.02
6	Grass	PAST6	72	108	0.00	27.00	11.19	9.46
8	Grass	LECO	18	54	0.00	66.22	25.95	18.34
8	Grass	PAHA	18	54	4.43	5.76	5.10	0.66
11	Grass	BOCU	54	90	2.59	56.00	19.35	14.47
15	Grass	EROX	54	90	0.00	29.00	19.71	10.61
16	Grass	ERSE2	0	18	1.22	9.00	5.11	3.89
18	Grass	CAREX	0	18	1.42	9.94	4.24	2.97
19	Grass	AGSM	18	54	0.00	3.80	1.90	1.90
19	Grass	ANGE	18	54	0.00	59.45	29.73	29.73
21	Forb	ERIOG	54	90	2.00	7.00	4.50	2.50
25	Forb	AMPS	36	54	2.29	27.77	15.35	10.41
26	Forb	AAFF	54	90	0.83	29.04	12.53	8.77
26	Forb	DIWI	54	90	1.00	4.92	2.96	1.96
27	Forb	CRJA2	18	54	0.00	5.13	2.57	2.57
27	Forb	HYSC	18	54	0.00	6.86	3.43	3.43
27	Forb	MELE2	18	54	4.40	4.50	4.45	0.05
30	Shrub	QUHA3	0	216	4.62	801.36	221.97	234.51
31	Shrub	ARFI2	126	162	0.00	3.84	1.92	1.92
38	Tree	YUEL	18	54	0.00	62.00	24.20	20.38

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## **Production Lbs/Acre Trends**



	2/10/1981	11/4/1981	10/18/1982	10/31/1983	10/17/1984	1/16/1986	10/27/1989	12/14/1994	12/14/2000	2/20/2004
Forb	7.00	34.00	12.00	33.00	48.00	10.00	22.00	26.00	48.00	7.65
Grass	247.00	846.00	260.00	362.00	442.00	288.00	528.00	621.00	362.00	63.73
Shrub	278.00	421.00	802.00	157.00	305.00	72.00	27.00	197.00	27.00	5.96
Tree	20.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	19.00	62.00	0.00	0.00	20.00	0.00
Total	552.00	1,301.00	1,074.00	552.00	814.00	432.00	577.00	844.00	457.00	77.34

Tree

Shrub Grass

Forb

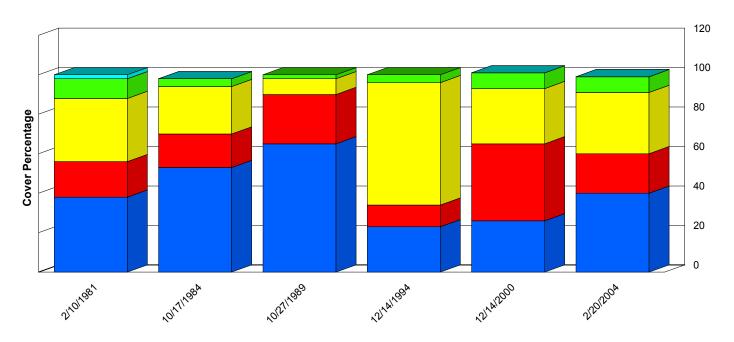
### **Report Parameters**

SITE NAME LIKE 65032-S. SAMPSON-D006

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## **Ground Cover Trends**



	2/10/1981	10/17/1984	10/27/1989	12/14/1994	12/14/2000	2/20/2004
BGROUND	38.00	53.00	65.00	23.00	26.00	40.00
Grass	18.00	17.00	25.00	11.00	39.00	20.00
LITTER	32.00	24.00	8.00	62.00	28.00	31.00
Shrub	10.00	4.00	2.00	4.00	8.00	8.00
Tree	2.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Total	100.00	98.00	100.00	100.00	101.00	99.00

Tree
Shrub
LITTER
Grass
BGROUND

## **Report Parameters**

SITE NAME LIKE 65032-S. SAMPSON-D006

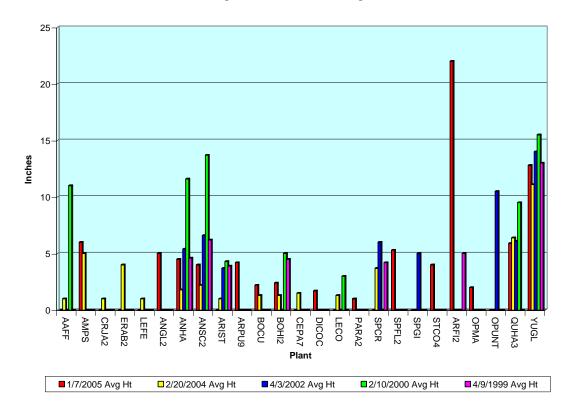
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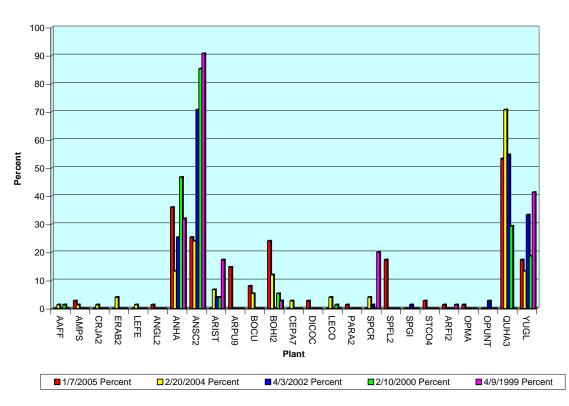
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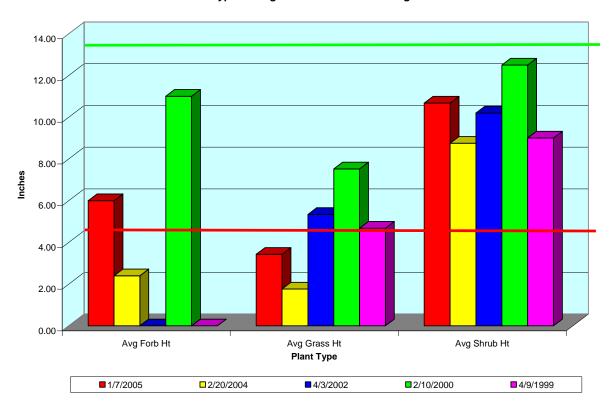
Report Parameters
SITE NAME LIKE 65032-BELCHER-D004
ON/AFTER 01/01/1999
ON/BEFORE 12/31/2005

Primary Obstructions	65032- BELCHER- D004	65032- BELCHER- D004	65032- BELCHER- D004	65032- BELCHER- D004	65032- BELCHER- D004
	01/07/2005	02/20/2004	04/03/2002	02/10/2000	04/09/1999
Flag Stations	1	1	1	20	0
	% Hits				
BGROUND	22.7 %	42.7 %	48.0 %	25.3 %	36.0 %
LITTER	46.7 %	40.0 %	49.3 %	40.0 %	44.0 %
OPMA	1.3 %	0.0 %	0.0 %	0.0 %	0.0 %
QUHA3	2.7 %	5.3 %	0.0 %	0.0 %	0.0 %
YUGL	1.3 %	1.3 %	0.0 %	2.7 %	0.0 %
ANGL2	1.3 %	0.0 %	0.0 %	0.0 %	0.0 %
ANHA	8.0 %	1.3 %	1.3 %	10.7 %	4.0 %
ANSC2	2.7 %	4.0 %	1.3 %	20.0 %	13.3 %
ARPU9	2.7 %	0.0 %	0.0 %	0.0 %	0.0 %
BOCU	2.7 %	0.0 %	0.0 %	0.0 %	0.0 %
BOHI2	2.7 %	2.7 %	0.0 %	1.3 %	0.0 %
DICOC	1.3 %	0.0 %	0.0 %	0.0 %	0.0 %
LECO	0.0 %	2.7 %	0.0 %	0.0 %	0.0 %
SPCR	0.0 %	0.0 %	0.0 %	0.0 %	2.7 %
STCO4	1.3 %	0.0 %	0.0 %	0.0 %	0.0 %
AMPS	1.3 %	0.0 %	0.0 %	0.0 %	0.0 %
CRJA2	1.3 %	0.0 %	0.0 %	0.0 %	0.0 %

Secondary Obstructions	BELCE	65032- BELCHER- D004		65032- BELCHER- D004		65032- BELCHER- D004		2- IER- 4	65032- BELCHER- D004	
	01/07/2	2005	02/20/2004		04/03/2002		02/10/2000		04/09/1999	
	Percent	Avg Ht	Percent	Avg Ht	Percent	Avg Ht	Percent	Avg Ht	Percent	Avg Ht
AAFF	0.0	0.0	1.3	1.0	0.0	0.0	1.3	11.0	0.0	0.0
AMPS	2.7	6.0	1.3	5.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
ANGL2	1.3	5.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
ANHA	36.0	4.5	13.3	1.8	25.3	5.4	46.7	11.6	32.0	4.6
ANSC2	25.3	4.0	24.0	2.2	70.7	6.6	85.3	13.7	90.7	6.2
ARFI2	1.3	22.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	1.3	5.0
ARIST	0.0	0.0	6.7	1.0	4.0	3.7	4.0	4.3	17.3	3.9
ARPU9	14.7	4.2	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
BOCU	8.0	2.2	5.3	1.3	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
BOHI2	24.0	2.4	12.0	1.3	0.0	0.0	5.3	5.0	2.7	4.5
CEPA7	0.0	0.0	2.7	1.5	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
CRJA2	0.0	0.0	1.3	1.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
DICOC	2.7	1.7	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
ERAB2	0.0	0.0	4.0	4.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
LECO	0.0	0.0	4.0	1.3	0.0	0.0	1.3	3.0	0.0	0.0
LEFE	0.0	0.0	1.3	1.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
OPMA	1.3	2.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
OPUNT	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	2.7	10.5	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
PARA2	1.3	1.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
QUHA3	53.3	5.9	70.7	6.4	54.7	6.1	29.3	9.5	0.0	0.0
SPCR	0.0	0.0	4.0	3.7	1.3	6.0	0.0	0.0	20.0	4.2
SPFL2	17.3	5.3	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
SPGI	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	1.3	5.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
STCO4	2.7	4.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
YUGL	17.3	12.8	13.3	11.1	33.3	14.0	18.7	15.5	41.3	13.0



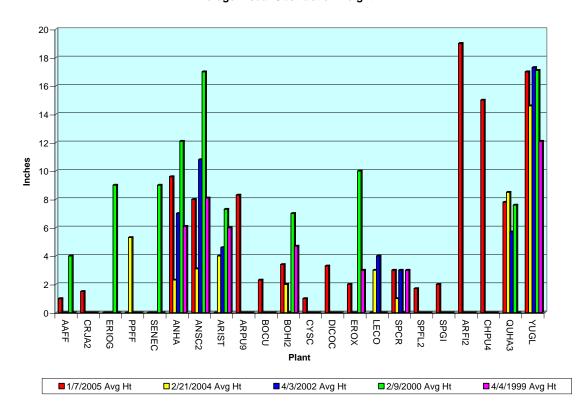


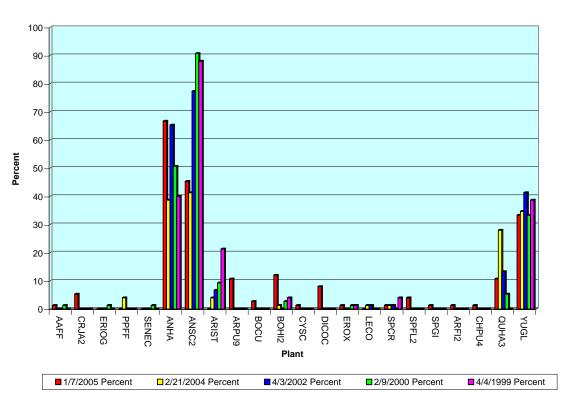


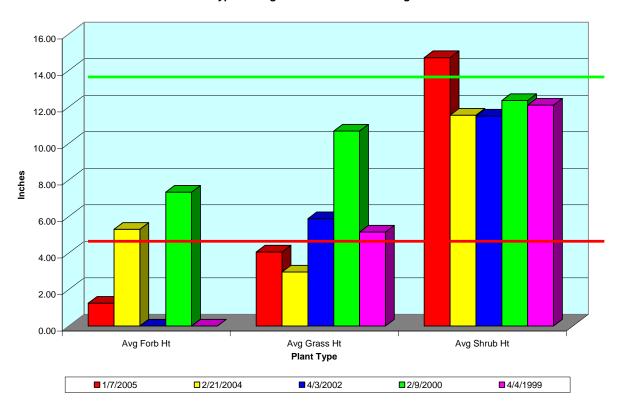
Report Parameters
SITE NAME LIKE 65032-N. SAMPSON-D005
ON/AFTER 10/01/1998
ON/BEFORE 09/30/2005

Primary Obstructions	65032-N. SAMPSON- D005	65032-N. SAMPSON- D005	65032-N. SAMPSON- D005	65032-N. SAMPSON- D005	65032-N. SAMPSON- D005
	01/07/2005	02/21/2004	04/03/2002	02/09/2000	04/04/1999
Flag Stations	13	1	10	37	0
	% Hits				
BGROUND	24.0 %	42.7 %	60.0 %	30.7 %	40.0 %
LITTER	34.7 %	38.7 %	29.3 %	17.3 %	24.0 %
QUHA3	0.0 %	1.3 %	0.0 %	0.0 %	0.0 %
YUCCA	0.0 %	0.0 %	1.3 %	0.0 %	0.0 %
YUGL	2.7 %	5.3 %	0.0 %	0.0 %	0.0 %
ANHA	13.3 %	4.0 %	4.0 %	16.0 %	5.3 %
ANSC2	9.3 %	6.7 %	4.0 %	25.3 %	29.3 %
ARIST	0.0 %	0.0 %	1.3 %	8.0 %	0.0 %
ARPU9	1.3 %	0.0 %	0.0 %	0.0 %	0.0 %
BOHI2	9.3 %	0.0 %	0.0 %	2.7 %	1.3 %
DICOC	2.7 %	0.0 %	0.0 %	0.0 %	0.0 %
LECO	0.0 %	1.3 %	0.0 %	0.0 %	0.0 %
AMPS	2.7 %	0.0 %	0.0 %	0.0 %	0.0 %

Secondary Obstructions	SAMPS	65032-N. SAMPSON- D005		65032-N. SAMPSON- D005		65032-N. SAMPSON- D005		-N. ON- 5	65032-N. SAMPSON- D005		
	01/07/2005		02/21/2	02/21/2004		04/03/2002		02/09/2000		04/04/1999	
	Percent	Avg Ht	Percent	Avg Ht	Percent	Avg Ht	Percent	Avg Ht	Percent	Avg Ht	
AAFF	1.3	1.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	1.3	4.0	0.0	0.0	
ANHA	66.7	9.6	38.7	2.3	65.3	7.0	50.7	12.1	40.0	6.1	
ANSC2	45.3	8.0	41.3	3.1	77.3	10.8	90.7	17.0	88.0	8.1	
ARFI2	1.3	19.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	
ARIST	0.0	0.0	4.0	4.0	6.7	4.6	9.3	7.3	21.3	6.0	
ARPU9	10.7	8.3	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	
BOCU	2.7	2.3	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	
BOHI2	12.0	3.4	1.3	2.0	0.0	0.0	2.7	7.0	4.0	4.7	
CHPU4	1.3	15.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	
CRJA2	5.3	1.5	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	
CYSC	1.3	1.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	
DICOC	8.0	3.3	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	
ERIOG	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	1.3	9.0	0.0	0.0	
EROX	1.3	2.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	1.3	10.0	1.3	3.0	
LECO	0.0	0.0	1.3	3.0	1.3	4.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	
PPFF	0.0	0.0	4.0	5.3	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	
QUHA3	10.7	7.8	28.0	8.5	13.3	5.7	5.3	7.6	0.0	0.0	
SENEC	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	1.3	9.0	0.0	0.0	
SPCR	1.3	3.0	1.3	1.0	1.3	3.0	0.0	0.0	4.0	3.0	
SPFL2	4.0	1.7	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	
SPGI	1.3	2.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	
YUGL	33.3	17.0	34.7	14.6	41.3	17.3	33.3	17.1	38.7	12.1	



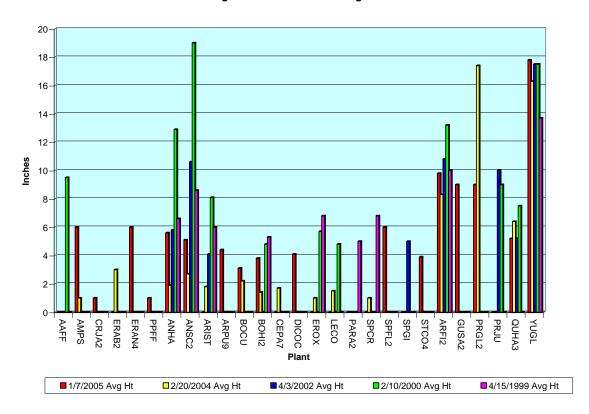


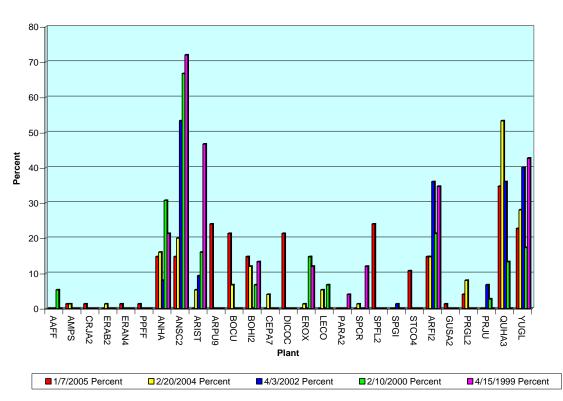


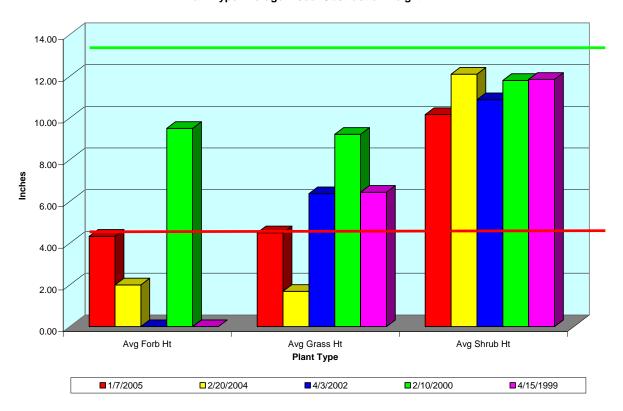
Report Parameters
SITE NAME LIKE 65032-POLK-D003
ON/AFTER 10/01/1998
ON/BEFORE 09/30/2005

Primary Obstructions	65032-POLK- D003	65032-POLK- D003	65032-POLK- D003	65032-POLK- D003	65032-POLK- D003
	01/07/2005	02/20/2004	04/03/2002	02/10/2000	04/15/1999
Flag Stations	1	1	4	34	3
	% Hits				
BGROUND	13.3 %	50.7 %	61.3 %	14.7 %	12.0 %
LITTER	40.0 %	40.0 %	33.3 %	46.7 %	54.7 %
ARFI2	1.3 %	0.0 %	0.0 %	0.0 %	0.0 %
QUHA3	5.3 %	1.3 %	0.0 %	1.3 %	0.0 %
YUGL	2.7 %	0.0 %	1.3 %	0.0 %	0.0 %
ANHA	1.3 %	1.3 %	0.0 %	6.7 %	2.7 %
ANSC2	1.3 %	1.3 %	1.3 %	17.3 %	12.0 %
ARIST	0.0 %	0.0 %	2.7 %	1.3 %	8.0 %
ARPU9	12.0 %	0.0 %	0.0 %	0.0 %	0.0 %
BOCU	10.7 %	1.3 %	0.0 %	0.0 %	0.0 %
BOHI2	1.3 %	1.3 %	0.0 %	5.3 %	1.3 %
DICOC	9.3 %	0.0 %	0.0 %	0.0 %	0.0 %
EROX	0.0 %	0.0 %	0.0 %	4.0 %	5.3 %
LECO	0.0 %	2.7 %	0.0 %	2.7 %	1.3 %
PARA2	0.0 %	0.0 %	0.0 %	0.0 %	2.7 %
STCO4	1.3 %	0.0 %	0.0 %	0.0 %	0.0 %

Secondary Obstructions	6503 POLK-			65032- POLK-D003		65032- POLK-D003		2- D003	65032- POLK-D003	
	01/07/2	2005	02/20/2	02/20/2004		04/03/2002		2000	04/15/1	999
	Percent	Avg Ht	Percent	Avg Ht	Percent	Avg Ht	Percent	Avg Ht	Percent	Avg Ht
AAFF	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	5.3	9.5	0.0	0.0
AMPS	1.3	6.0	1.3	1.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
ANHA	14.7	5.6	16.0	1.9	8.0	5.8	30.7	12.9	21.3	6.6
ANSC2	14.7	5.1	20.0	2.7	53.3	10.6	66.7	19.0	72.0	8.6
ARFI2	14.7	9.8	14.7	8.3	36.0	10.8	21.3	13.2	34.7	10.0
ARIST	0.0	0.0	5.3	1.8	9.3	4.1	16.0	8.1	46.7	6.0
ARPU9	24.0	4.4	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
BOCU	21.3	3.1	6.7	2.2	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
BOHI2	14.7	3.8	12.0	1.4	0.0	0.0	6.7	4.8	13.3	5.3
CEPA7	0.0	0.0	4.0	1.7	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
CRJA2	1.3	1.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
DICOC	21.3	4.1	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
ERAB2	0.0	0.0	1.3	3.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
ERAN4	1.3	6.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
EROX	0.0	0.0	1.3	1.0	0.0	0.0	14.7	5.7	12.0	6.8
GUSA2	1.3	9.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
LECO	0.0	0.0	5.3	1.5	0.0	0.0	6.7	4.8	0.0	0.0
PARA2	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	4.0	5.0
PPFF	1.3	1.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
PRGL2	4.0	9.0	8.0	17.4	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
PRJU	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	6.7	10.0	2.7	9.0	0.0	0.0
QUHA3	34.7	5.2	53.3	6.4	36.0	5.2	13.3	7.5	0.0	0.0
SPCR	0.0	0.0	1.3	1.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	12.0	6.8
SPFL2	24.0	6.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
SPGI	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	1.3	5.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
STCO4	10.7	3.9	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
YUGL	22.7	17.8	28.0	16.3	40.0	17.5	17.3	17.5	42.7	13.7







Report Parameters
SITE NAME LIKE 65032-S. SAMPSON-D006
ON/AFTER 10/01/1998
ON/BEFORE 09/30/2005

Primary Obstructions	65032-S. SAMPSON- D006	65032-S. SAMPSON- D006	65032-S. SAMPSON- D006	65032-S. SAMPSON- D006	65032-S. SAMPSON- D006
	01/07/2005	02/20/2004	04/04/2002	02/09/2000	04/12/1999
Flag Stations	13	0	9	46	4
	% Hits				
BGROUND	28.0 %	44.0 %	50.7 %	32.0 %	57.3 %
LITTER	28.0 %	28.0 %	25.3 %	22.7 %	12.0 %
PRGL2	1.3 %	0.0 %	0.0 %	0.0 %	0.0 %
QUHA3	1.3 %	1.3 %	0.0 %	0.0 %	0.0 %
YUGL	1.3 %	1.3 %	0.0 %	1.3 %	1.3 %
ANHA	9.3 %	9.3 %	9.3 %	8.0 %	10.7 %
ANSC2	9.3 %	10.7 %	9.3 %	24.0 %	12.0 %
ARIST	0.0 %	0.0 %	5.3 %	2.7 %	1.3 %
ARPU9	6.7 %	0.0 %	0.0 %	0.0 %	0.0 %
BOHI2	4.0 %	1.3 %	0.0 %	6.7 %	5.3 %
DICOC	2.7 %	0.0 %	0.0 %	0.0 %	0.0 %
EROX	0.0 %	0.0 %	0.0 %	1.3 %	0.0 %
LECO	0.0 %	1.3 %	0.0 %	0.0 %	0.0 %
PAST6	1.3 %	0.0 %	0.0 %	1.3 %	0.0 %
SPCR	0.0 %	1.3 %	0.0 %	0.0 %	0.0 %
SPFL2	1.3 %	0.0 %	0.0 %	0.0 %	0.0 %
AMPS	5.3 %	1.3 %	0.0 %	0.0 %	0.0 %

Secondary Obstructions	SAMPS	65032-S. SAMPSON- D006		65032-S. SAMPSON- D006		65032-S. SAMPSON- D006		65032-S. SAMPSON- D006		65032-S. SAMPSON- D006	
	01/07/2	01/07/2005		02/20/2004		04/04/2002		02/09/2000		04/12/1999	
	Percent	Avg Ht									
AMPS	20.0	7.3	4.0	3.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	
ANHA	40.0	13.2	29.3	2.2	53.3	8.5	45.3	12.6	54.7	6.3	
ANSC2	58.7	12.4	46.7	3.1	78.7	12.3	93.3	17.5	80.0	7.8	
ARFI2	0.0	0.0	2.7	6.0	4.0	12.0	1.3	17.0	0.0	0.0	
ARIST	0.0	0.0	24.0	2.3	22.7	5.4	13.3	5.4	49.3	4.3	
ARPU9	22.7	4.7	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	
BOHI2	8.0	3.4	2.7	1.5	0.0	0.0	8.0	6.2	4.0	3.7	
CHPU4	5.3	19.8	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	
CYSC	1.3	4.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	
DICOC	6.7	3.4	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	
EROX	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	1.3	5.0	1.3	3.0	
LECO	0.0	0.0	9.3	1.0	0.0	0.0	1.3	6.0	0.0	0.0	
PAST6	2.7	1.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	
PRGL2	4.0	12.8	2.7	26.5	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	
PRJU	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	1.3	17.0	1.3	26.0	0.0	0.0	
QUHA3	16.0	10.5	24.0	7.1	29.3	6.6	10.7	7.3	0.0	0.0	
SPCR	0.0	0.0	2.7	1.5	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	
SPFL2	4.0	4.7	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	
XADR	1.3	5.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	
YUGL	20.0	14.5	17.3	12.1	24.0	14.2	26.7	14.8	36.0	12.7	

